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E.O. 11652: N/A
TAGS: PGOV, SL
SUBJECT: NEW CABINET NAMED

REF: FREETOWN 2610 (NOTAL)

1. LONG EXPECTED CABINET SHUFFLE CONTAINS FEW NEW FACES AND NO REAL SUPRISES. ONLY INDIVIDUAL DROPPED FROM CABINET IS FORMER MINISTER OF HEALTH, DESMOND LUKE, WHO IS REPLACED BY FORMER DEPUTY MINISTER OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS HARRY WILLIAMS. TWO VICE-PRESIDENTS, MINISTERS OF JUSTICE, FOREIGN AFFAIRS, AGRICULTURE, ATTORNEY-GENERAL AND JUSTICE, TRADE AND INDUSTRY, TRANSPORT AND COMMUNICATIONS, EDUCATION, WORKS, INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING, MINES, LANDS, LABOR, SOCIAL WELFARE AND RURAL DEVELOPMENT, AND ENERGY AND POWER REMIAN IN PLACE.

2. DR. SAMA S. BANYA BECOMES MINISTER OF DEVELOPMENT AND ECONOMIC PLANNING, REPLACING SOLOMAN PRATT WHO MOVES TO INTERIOR. FORMER INTERIOR MINISTER K.C. GBAMANJA MOVES TO NEWLY CREATED MINISTRY OF NAUTURAL RESOURCES. DALTON F. SHEARS, FORMER MINISTER OF WORKS 1973-75 AND MINISTER OF LANDS 1975-76 RETURNS TO THE CABINET AS MINISTER OF TOURISM AND CULTURAL AFFAIRS. SAHR R. FILLIE FABOE, FORMER
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AMBASSADOR TO GUINEA, IS NAMED DEPUTY MINISTER OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS. M.S. MUSTAPHA, FORMER SLPP LEADER, IS NAMED MINISTER OF STATE AND P.P. KEBBIE IS THE NEW MINISTER FOR THE EASTERN PROVINCE REPLAICING DR. BANYA.

3. AIRGRAM FOLLOWS.
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